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Meeting at Hurricane Bridge.

At a large and enthusiastic meeting proceedings of this meeting held at Hurricane Bridge, Va., on Monday, the 15th day of February, 1358, WM. E. HERNDON was called to the Chair, and A. J. BECKETT appointed Secretary. explained by the Chair, on motion, a the Norfolk Argus: Morroe St., two doors from Market,
Opp. M'Lure House, under Washing oh Hall,
Hodges, A. J. Beckett, J. R. Short,
Washing of Hall, George Ellis, J. S. Kirtley, S. Williams, Keep constantly on hand a full assertment C. L. Poindexter, James Mines, James since of announcing, on the authority of f Cloths, Cassimeres and Vestings which we Burditt and Brice Paul. The committee a letter received from Paris, that Mr. retired, and in a short time returned and Preston's mission had been successful.

ar propriated and expended in accordance ever, it matters not, so that we are to have with the above act; And whereas, the direct communication with France. 1856, passed the following act to wit:

by existing laws or that may hereafter be trade to our port, can sustain this line.

wards the center. 1. Therefore, be it Resolved. That the nually pays the North in commission, Board of Public Works without that just freight, &c., about \$400.000, From No. 131, Main St., cor. Union, Wheeling. and equitable regard for individuals, or these facts we see how easily a line of Constantly on hand and for the interest of the commonwealth, and the steamers to Europe can be supported. perfect disregard of the State, have appropriated and expended the \$500,000, talists are at this moment looking for a propriated and expended the \$500,000, talists are at this moment looking for a propriated and expended the \$500,000 talists are at this moment looking for a propriated and expended the \$500,000 talists are at this moment looking for a propriated and expended the \$500,000 talists are at this moment looking for a propriated and expended the \$500,000 talists are at this moment looking for a propriated and expended the \$500,000 talists are at this moment looking for a propriated and expended the \$500,000 talists are at this moment looking for a propriated and expended the \$500,000 talists are at this moment looking for a propriated and expended the \$500,000 talists are at this moment looking for a propriated and expended the \$500,000 talists are at this moment looking for a propriated and expended the \$500,000 talists are at this moment looking for a propriated and expended the \$500,000 talists are at this moment looking for a propriated and expended the \$500,000 talists are at this moment looking for a propriated and expended the \$500,000 talists are at this moment looking for a propriated and expended the \$500,000 talists are at this moment looking for a propriated and expended the \$500,000 talists are at this moment looking for a propriated and expended the \$500,000 talists are at this moment looking for a propriated and expended the \$500,000 talists are at this moment looking for a propriated and expended the \$500,000 talists are at this moment looking for a propriated and expended the \$500,000 talists are at this moment looking for a propriated and expended the \$500,000 talists are at this moment looking for a propriated and expended the \$500,000 talists are at this moment looking for a propriated the propriated and expended the propriated the pro on the Eastern end of said road.

of Public Works has had a tendency to manufactured articles having to go county of Kanawha and others, and actuinduce the people of Kentucky to abandon through New York. They would be Fancy and Variety Goods. Watch and Clock Materials, Tools, Glasses, &c. for the present the construction of the grad to establish agriculture of the said bridge over Coal river, shall be constructed to have been subscribed and those agents would, of course, in by virtue of this act, and the State subsiderable portion of the Southwestern making their remittances, prefer doing scription. hereby authorized, shall be States on northern roads, and to northern so in the productions of the South.

is not only unjust towards the people liv- goods can be retained in the warehouse Hats and Caps of every derirable style made B. R. ALLEY,

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Hats and Caps of every derirable style made but the Southern merchants on buying but the Southern merchants of the Southern merchants of the Southern merchants of the Southern m of the State by preventing the construc- importer having that privilege, has six per tion of other railroads, to connect with cent. advantage over Southern merchants. its Western Terminus pari passu with If we had a direct trade port ourselves, the Covington and Obio Railroad.

ded on the western end of said road, to the South could save six per cent. which want of means to complete this portion of chants of the North. of the State and to our serious injury.

N. B. DUDDING, - - - PROFRIETOR. tion of the C. and O. R. R., as soon as The Northern route is locked by ice for sufficient to complete the purchase; And Loudoun and Hampshire, 8300,000; Ma-

olutions be sent to Capt. R. N. B. Thomp- advantage of a seaport. House of Delegates.

mend to the counties interested in the king Norfolk her seaport. early completion of the western end of also that any other citizen of Putnam who night from a small piece of candle. may be present at said meeting, shall be

J. H. ROGERS. Valley Star," "Kanawhs Republican," ing and is very good.

Western Virginian," and "Richmond Enquirer," be requested to publish the

WM. E. HERNDON, Ch'n. A. J. BECKETT, Sec'y.

We invite attention to the following After the objects of the meeting were fully lucid, cogent, and instructive article from

We had the gratification some days Also—a full assorment of Gendemen's submitted the following preamble and and that arrangements han been made should subscribe to be submitted the following preamble and and that arrangements han been made should subscribe to be submitted the following preamble and with one of the wealthiest corporations in for the purpose of completing the conunreflecting, too frequently challenges. Europe, the Paris and Orleans Railroad struction of the turnpike road, from Wil- doubt, and thereby defeats itself. So far WHEREAS, the General Assembly of Company, to put four of its steamers in son's Creek in Wayne county, to the Ka- from any liability on the part of the State, Virginia, on the 15th day of February, the trade between the city of Orleans, nawha turnpike, and for the purpose of I may assert, that she can, under no cir-1858, enacted a law incorporating the France, and the city of Norfolk in Vir-Board of Public Works into a body poli- ginia. We stated in the words furnished tic, under the name of the Covington and us, that these s'eamers would run be- Assembly, that the county of Kanawha as a mere matter of dollars and cents; Ohio Railroad Company, the 3rd section tween the ports of Orleans and Norfolk, and others, have subscribed and actually which, however, I will not for a moment of said act made it obligatory upon the but as the former city is situated above paid the sum of two thousand dollars to believe; but I will proceed at once to Board, that in the construction of this steamship navigation, on the river Loire, road, the Board of Public Works shall we should have perhaps stated that the commence and continue the construction steamers would ply to Nantes, near the of said road, from its western terminus, mouth of this river, and there connect

> printed as aforesaid. general assembly of Virginia in March, That this line will be successful, if the Norfolk and Petersburg Railroad is im-"Be it enacted by the general assembly mediately completed, we have not the that the Board of Public Works, be and slightest doubt. Leaving out the other to borrow from time to time upon the intimately connected by railway, Virginterms now prescribed, for making loans is alone, if her people will confine her

prescribed, the sum of \$500,000 to be ap- The total value of the productions of propriated to the construction of the Cov- Virginia were estimated at the last census gton and Ohio Railroad to be expended to be \$36,000,000. We can now fairly in the present and succeeding year, and estimate it at not less than \$100,000.000. the sum hereby appropriated to be expen- Of this amount it is said \$70,000.000 ded in the tunneling, grading, masonry are used for home consumption. This so that it shall read as follows: and bridging of said road. And where- leaves a surplus of \$30,000,000. The is, a bill has recently passed the Seinte. whole amount of foreign importations inrepealing the third section of the existing to Virginia is estimated at \$12,000,000 a law which made it the duty of the Board year. Her direct importations through of Public Works to construct said road her own ports are only \$436,000; on the from its Eastern and Western termini to- difference between these two sums she has to pay commission, &c. She an-

Covington and Ohio Railroad, and in a Let this line be established and it will new market for their goods. They are State subscription shall be paid pari pas- into your treasury as many dollars; thus 2. Resolved, That an abandonment of alive to the fact that they have to pay all subscriptions. And enabling you to return at a short date the Western end of the road by the Board the expenses of cotton goods and other any money heretofore subscribed by the the money to Virginia, and leave at least for the present the construction of the glad to establish agencies here for the of the said bridge over Coal river, shall

One of the most important poin's con-3. Resolved, That the act recently neeted with a direct trade from Norfolk assed by the Senate of Virginia repealing to Europe, is the warehousing system of ing on the western end of said road, but without paying duties for twelve months, we would have a share of the advantages 4. Resolved, That it is the duty of the of the warehousing system. We should epresentatives of the people in the House also have inland custom houses. The of Delegates and Senators who are friend. State of Maine, with a population of 600,ly to the Covington and Ohio Railroad, 000, has eight custom houses; the State o use every honorable means to defeat of Massachusetts, with a population of 1, the repeal of the said third section of the 000,000, has nine; and the State of Vir ginia, with 1,500,000, inhabitants, has 5. Resolved, That it will be a suicidal only five custom houses. By rendering i policy on the part of the Legislature to necessary for the South to have these insuffer the amount which has been expen- land custom houses, the merchants of become a dead loss to the State, for the now goes into the pockets of the mer-

said work; and while we are willing to bear All the important interior towns of Vir-RENCH, English, German and Boheman any responsible portion of taxation, if we manufactures, Portoise Shell, Ivory and can thereby secure the completion of this Kentucky could have their custom housgreat leading improvement of the State, es, the goods could be brought to Norfolk we protest most earnestly against being and then shipped under bonds to the Lodge, No. 40, held at Masonic Hall on taxed to the advantage of other sections bonded warehouses along the railways, the 1st instant, the following preamble and the merchants of those towns would and resolutions were unanimously adopt-6. Resolved, That it affords us great not have to pay the duties until customers ed pleasure to learn that the Hon. Wm. Bal- were found to purchase the goods .lard Preston has succeeded in effecting Lynchburg, Raleigh, Louisville, Knox- the Grand Lodge of Free Masons of Viran arrangement with the Paris and Or-leans Railroad Cor pany for the estab-through Norfolk, and demand the estab-funds, towards the purchase by that lishment of a line of steamers between the lishment of bonded warehouses for the State, as the Trustee of the "Mount Ver- agreed to report a bill recommending an ports of Nantes in France, and Norfolk, use of their merchants. Cincinnati, the non Association," of the Home of Wash- appropriation of two and a half millions of Va., in consideration of which fact, a queen city of the West, has now but ington; and whereas that sum added to dollars to the leading lines of railroads in wise and enlightened policy will dictate two avenues for exporting and importing the proceeds of the "Lecture" of the the State, as follows: as speedy a connection with the great -via the lakes and Erie canal to New gifted Everett, and the collections made and Ohio Railroad, 8800,000; Orango thoroughfare of the west, by the comple- York, or down the river to New Orleans. by other patriotic citizens, will not be and Alexandria, 8330.000; Alexandria, five months, and the Southern route is whereas, we are anxious to contribute to massas Gap, 8200,000; Norfolk and Pe-7. Resolved, That in the opinion of liable to sweat, mould and numberless that object, and thereby manifest our tersburg, \$250,000; York River, \$250, this meeting, should the western end of disadvantages. She should stretch her reverence for the memory of the "Father 000; Richmond and Danville, \$250,000; said road be completed from the month railways to Norfolk, she would then be of his Country," whose exalted virtues and Virginia Central, 8250,000. MRS. ROCK—formerly of the Malden of Big Sandy, to the Falls of Kanawha, within a few days of the ocean, and could shed honor and lustre upon the Masonic latter large and commellions Right House, Kanawha Salines—has removed it would yield a handsome revenue to the import and export by our steam lines, fraternity, of which he was a member: and by establishing the warehousing sys- Therefore be it resolved, That we. 8. Resolved, That a copy of these restem give her mercantile community the the members of this Lodge, will pay such Jones, when she replied:

if no action by the House has been taken shake off their vassalage to New York, requested to make proper application of upon said bill, he present the same to the and build up a grand enterport of trade the funds thus raised. upon the noble Chesapeak. The city of Resolved, further, That we earnestly 9. Resolved, That this meeting recom- Cincinnati would save millions by ma- recommend to our brethren throughout

said road, to appoint delegates to attend Worth Knowing .- A piece of candle communicate the above preamble and res- of their Church in Western Virginia, by superior in quantity, quality and style to anything ever brought to Charleston; also, his
ville, Cabell county, on Monday the 22d room or elsewhere, where a dell light is W. Grand Master of the State, and that ville, Cabell county, on Monday the 22d room or elsewhere, where a dull light is W. Grand Master of the State, and that a Republican, but if he will read the re-SILK AND SOFT HATS, Bonnets, Straw & Panama Hats, Mantills, Shoes, &c.

Hats, Mantills, Shoes, &c.

Since of the chair appoint thirty wished, by putting many point the candle util it reaches the black meeting. Also that the Chairman, and part of the wick. In this way a mild and above object.

JA:

If we may inst., and that the chair appoint thirty wished, by putting finely powdered salt committee be appointed by the W. M. to view by a correspondent of the Kanowha delegates to represent this county in said on the candle until it reaches the black solicit subscriptions in furtherance of the work. In this way a mild and above object. All of which wil' be sold cheap for cash, or Secretary be added to the delegation, and steady light may be kept through the

10. Resolved. That the "Kanawha like creation. because it is made of noth- may not sympathize with their noble aims sured for their disloyalty to the State of

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Wayne county, to the Kanawha turn- To the Southern Matron.

President of the Mount Vernon Asriver, and amended by an act, possed sociation:

March 4, 1856, entitled, 'An act provid-DEAR LADY :- You ask for my opinion ing for the appointment of commission on the "ultimate liability of Virginia for ers to contract for and superintend the the redemption of her bonds, should they construction of the Coal river bridge." be issued for the purchase of Mount Ver-Whereas the General Assembly on non."

the 31st day of March, 1853, passed an I almost hesitate to put my answer in act appropriating three thousand dollars writing, for the simple reason, that it is upon condition that percents able to pay so positive and unequivocal, as to partake should subscribe to housand dollars of that enthusiasm which, among the building a bridge over Coal river. And cumstances, make as profitable an investwhereas it is represented to the General ment, if she could be induced to look at it wards the construction of the said bridge, show the basis of my opinion. Virginia and that the same has been actually ex- issues her bonds to run thirty-four years, pended in the partial construction thereof. for the sum of \$200,000, in this way .-And whereas, the Board of Public Mr. Washington receives them in full East, at the same time they are extending with the railway passing through Angers Works construing the act passed March payment, conveys Mount Vernon in trust the same from its Eastern terminus, West; and thence to Orleans. To what partic- 4th, 1856, as repealing the act passed to Virginia, and she to the Ladies' Mount March 31st, 1853, have refused to pay any Vernon Association, upon the terms of part of the three thousand dollars appro- their charter granted for that purpose .-You have nowat your command \$60,000; Be it enacted by the General Assembly, this you pay over at once to the treasurer That the act, entitled, "An act authori- of Virginia, and with the massive aid of sing an additional subscription to com- such talents and energy as Everett, plete a road from Wilson's Creek in Wayne Yancey, McWillie, Ruggles and Brown, county, to the Kanawha turnpike, and can there be a doubt in the mind of the to construct a bridge over Coal river, most timid of your raising the \$140,000 passed March the 31st, 1852, and amend- in one or at most two more years, when ed by an act, entitled, 'An act providing that will be handed over to the Treasufor the appointment of commissioners to ry-and thus the State will have gained contract for and superintend the construc- \$12,000 per annum for thirty years, that tion of the Coal river bridge," passed being the annual interest on the whole March the 4th, 1856, shall be, and the sum.

Again, dear Lady, your success is placed beyond any peradventure, by the late Whenever individuals solvent and able action of the Grand Lodge of Virginia. pay shall subscribe the additional sum with a coppy of which I have furnished of two thousand dollars, to complete the you, and from a perusal of which, any construction of a road from Wilson's skeptic, particularly if he be a Muson. Creek in Wayne county, to the Kanawha must indeed be too for beyond the reach of turnpike, and build a bridge over Coal argument, or pooof deducted from the orriver, it shall be lawful for, and the Board ray of facts and figures to be affected by

of Public Works is hereby directed to sub- anything I could add. scribe on behalf of the State, the addition-Thirty-five Grand Lodges, with a memal sum of three thousand dollars. The bership of affiliated and non-affiliated Mamoney to pay the State subscription here- sons, amounting to 350,000, will promptby authorized, shall be borrowed accord- hasten, with reverence for their departed ally expended towards the construction With my best wishes for your success,

I am yours, truly. JOHN DOVE. Richmond, Feb. 16, 1856.

To the Masons throughout the U. States. paid pari passu, with such subscriptions. That William Wood, Benjamin S. It has already been seen, by the corres-Thompson, Jesse Hudson, John M. Field | pondence lately published, in what a no and Henry W. Goodwin, be and are here. ble and patriotic manner the Masons of the said third section of the original law, the United States. Under that system, by constituted a Board of Commissioners, Virginia have passed resolutions to lend to contract for and superintend the con- their aid to the Ladies of the Mount Vercounty; said Commissioners or a majori- and gratefully accepted the proffered serty of them, shall elect a President and vices of this time-honored body. The Treasurer, and shall have full power and ladies now appeal to the Masonic order authority to do all needful acts in the throughout the United States, who pass erection of said bridge. And all acts similar resolutions at their meetings on done or contracts made, heretofore, by the 22nd of February, that they will telthe said Commissioners or a majority of egraph at once to Richmond. Not that them, towards the construction of the the slightest doubt is entertained that the said bridge, shall be constructed to have Masonic order, who have always acted been done and made by virtue of this act. unanimously and harmoniuosly together This act shall be in force from its pas- in every good and inspiring cause, will not do so in one as sacred as this, but that it is of the utmost importance that Response of the Hasons of Alabama to the ladies should at once be able to state the exact sum which they can furnish, The following we copy from the "Mo- without delay, to the treasury of Virginit. All that they now desire is to be able

> a Mason. APPROPRIATIONS TO VIRGINIA RAIL-

> to give tangible proofs to the Legislature

that the State will not be called upon to

furnish one single dollar. We do not

doubt that the Masons, as soon as they

receive this intimation, will at once re-

An old lady was asked what she thought of one of her neighbors named

"Why, I don't like to say anything sum as we can severally afford in aid of son, the delegate from this County, and Let the cities of the South and West said purchase, and that the W. M. be about my neighbors; but as to Mr. Jones. sometimes I think, and then again I do not know; but after all, I rather guess he'll turn out to be a good deal such a sort of a man as I take him to be."

> this State to follow our example, and to We noticed, some time ago, the exulting that end the Secratary of this Lodge will remarks of Dr. Baird, over the defence Northern brethren will persist in closing If we may judge by these aguries, the their eyes against the light be sheds upon ladies will triumph in their patriotic ob- the issues involved in the controversy. A kiss, says an ingenious authority is ject without the assistance of those who they cannot justly complain of being cen-Virginia .- Southern Methodist Innerant,